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Please contact Fr Philip through the relevant Parish Office; thank you.

[St Michael's Hall Hire: Do you know a group who would like to hire our Hall?](#)

If so please contact 01666 502854 for further details.

MARRIAGE CATECHISTS A formation course, for married couples and widowed who are interested in becoming a marriage catechist will be held at English Martyrs Church, Tuffly on the evenings of 9th, 23rd and 30th June. Please see the poster on the notice board for further information and inform Fr Philip of your interest. Thank you.

SEEDS OF FAITH A faith formation course for anyone interested in learning more about our Catholic faith and the ministry of catechesis. The course of ten sessions will commence on Saturday 18th June at St George's, Taunton. Please see notice board for further details and inform Fr Philip if interested.

PARISH SECURITY We are periodically reminded that in accordance with the Diocesan Insurance Company an up to date 'Key Register' for all Parish property should be kept. Will all Parishioners of St Peters Parish that hold hall keys and Church keys please let me know asap. Your co-operation would be appreciated, thank you. Elaine

CELEBRATING MARRIAGE Marriage Week from Fri. 24th June to Sat. 2nd July; Bishop Declan will offer the Annual Mass in Clifton Cathedral on Sat. 2nd July at 12.00noon. He invites all married couples to join him. He would like to send a personal invitation to those couples who are celebrating significant anniversaries in 2022 or those who will marry

during this year. If you are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th, or 70th anniversary during 2022 or getting married this year. Please see poster on the notice board.

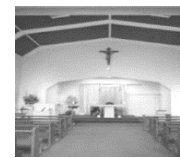
TETBURY AREA CHURCHES TOGETHER will be distributing town packs to new houses of Tetbury on **Wednesday 27th June; meeting at Christchurch @ 5.00pm.** We are looking for members of St Michaels Parish to join members of the other churches to distribute the packs. Many volunteers will make the task easier, thank you.

LOV VERBUM DEI MINISTRY Vigil for Peace and Healing in the World is taking place from Friday 24th June @ 8.00pm until Saturday 25th June @ 8.00am in Clifton Cathedral. Bishop Declan will close the vigil with Mass @ 7:30am on 25 June. Join the vigil in the Cathedral or via streaming throughout the night. Please see the poster for further information.



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SUNDAY OF CORPUS ET SANGUIS CHRISTI (YEAR C)

Sat 18th Jun 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's (Elizabeth Brown RIP)

Sun 19th Jun 9.00am Mass in St Michael's
11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)

Procession and Benediction outside at the end of all Masses



WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Mon 20th Jun St Alban, Protomartyr of England, National Memorial
11.30am Funeral Requiem for Len Kirkland at Cheltenham Cremation

6.00pm Mass in St. Peter's

Tues 21st Jun St Aloysius Gonzaga

Fr PHILIP'S DAY OFF & PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Wed 22nd Jun STS. JOHN FISHER AND THOMAS MORE, National Feast
10.00am Mass in St Michael's ()

Thu 23rd Jun BIRTHDAY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, Anticipated
Solemnity and Patron of the town of Cirencester
9.30am Mass in St Peter's (Robert Saternus RIP)

Fri 24th Jun THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS, Solemnity
9.30am Mass in St Peter's

Sat 25th Jun Immaculate Heart of Mary
9.30am Mass in St Peter's

SUNDAY XIII 'THROUGH THE YEAR' – ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

Sat 25th Jun 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's ()

Sun 26th Jun 9.00am Mass in St Michael's ()
11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILLATION: CONFESSIONS

In St Peters: Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm

In St Michaels Wednesday 10.45am to 11.15am & by Appointment; please ring to arrange. Thank you

WELCOME We welcome Parishioners and visitors to this celebration of Mass.

ON SECULAR FATHERS' DAY, WE WISH ALL OUR DADS AND PATERNAL FIGURES [Living and Departed] EVERY BLESSING

MASS PROPERS

Entrance Antiphon. He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20 *The Priest King Melchisedech brought bread and wine.*

Resp. Psalm: You are a priest forever, a priest like Melchisedech of old!

Second Reading: I Corinthians 11:23-26 *Do this in memory of me!*

The Sequence by St Thomas Aquinas, Part I

1 Laud, O Sion, thy salvation, Laud with hymns of exultation Christ, Thy King and Shepherd true: Spend thyself, His honour raising, Who surpasseth all thy praising; Never canst thou reach His due.	6 This the truth to Christians given— Bread becomes His Flesh from heaven, Wine becomes His holy Blood. Doth it pass thy comprehending? Yet by faith, thy sight transcending, Wondrous things are understood.
2 Sing to-day, the mystery showing Of the living, life-bestowing Bread from heaven before thee set; E'en the same of old provided, Where the Twelve, divinely guided, At the holy Table met.	7 Yea, beneath these signs are hidden Glorious things to sight forbidden: Look not on the outward sign. Wine is poured and Bread is broken, But in either sacred token Christ is here by power divine.
3 Full and clear ring out thy chanting, Joy nor sweetest grace be wanting To thy heart and soul to-day; When we gather up the measure Of that Supper and its treasure, Keeping feast in glad array.	8 Whoso of this Food partaketh, Rendeth not the Lord nor breaketh: Christ is whole to all that taste. Thousands are, as one, receivers One, as thousands of believers, Takes the Food that cannot waste.
4 Lo, the new King's Table gracing, This new Passover of blessing Hath fulfilled the elder rite: Now the new the old effaceth, Truth revealed the shadow chaseth, Day is breaking on the night.	9 Good and evil men are sharing One repast, a doom preparing Varied as the heart of man; Doom of life or death awarded, As their days shall be recorded Which from one beginning ran.
5 What He did at Supper seated, Christ ordained to be repeated, His memorial ne'er to cease: And, His word for guidance taking, Bread and wine we hallow, making Thus our Sacrifice of peace.	10 When the Sacrament is broken, Doubt not in each severed token, Hallowed by the word once spoken, Resteth all the true content: Nought the precious Gift divideth, Breaking but the sign betideth, He himself the same abideth, Nothing of His fullness spent.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the Living Bread, Which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!

Holy Gospel: Luke 9:11-17 *They ate and has much as they wanted*

Communion Antiphon. Whoever eats My Flesh and drinks My Blood remains in Me and I in him, says the Lord.

1st H. COMM. – FHC 2022: We shall celebrate FHC 2022 for children aged 8yrs and older by the end of August, on Sunday 20th November in both parishes which is the Solemnity of Christ the King. The preparation course will start in September. If you wish your child to receive their First Holy Communion, please contact the parish office for an application form.



THE 2023 ROME SYNOD – A DIOCESAN PRESENTATION Bishop Declan invites every parish to an evening liturgy at the Cathedral on 22nd June at 7.00pm, when he will also present Clifton's Synod report to each parish. Fr Philip and the Parish Delegations will receive the report on behalf of Tetbury and Cirencester... but it would be good if others were there in the gathering. There are no restrictions on numbers gathering with our bishop, so please do consider coming along. However, you will need to register your 'presence', and to facilitate this, you are asked to book onto the event via this link (Eventbrite): eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-liturgysynod-tickets-3271237348



WORLD YOUTH DAY LISBON 2023: World Youth Day will next take place in Lisbon in 2023. The Department for Adult Education and Evangelisation is organising an eight-day pilgrimage from July 31 to August 8, 2023 for young adults [18-35] in our diocese. The provisional plan is to spend six nights in Lisbon and two nights in Fatima. There will be formation sessions for the group before the

pilgrimage to build community and support one another in our faith journey. If you are interested in learning more about the Clifton Diocese World Youth Day 2023 Pilgrimage, and will be at least 18 years old on 1st April 2023, please register your interest at adult.education@cliftondiocese.com - Please spread the word to any young adults you know who may be interested in attending World Youth Day.

DIOCESAN GLASTONBURY PILGRIMAGE After a two-year, absence our Diocesan Annual Pilgrimage to Glastonbury will take place on **Sunday 10th July**. The Rosary Procession will commence @ 2.15pm from the Abbey Grounds. Mass celebrated by Bishop Declan and Diocesan clergy will commence @ 3.30pm in the Abbey Grounds. Please see the poster and information sheet for further information.



OUR FRIEND AND PARISHIONER, BERNADETTE M. LANGTON, DIED ON THE 18TH JUNE 2022, FORTIFIED BY THE RITES OF OUR HOLY MOTHER, THE CHURCH. SHE PASSED AWAY VERY PEACEFULLY AND BEAUTIFULLY LOOKED AFTER AT PATERNOSTER HOUSE IN CIRENCESTER. WE WILL SHARE FUNERAL DETAILS WHEN THEY ARE CONFIRMED.